

FISCAL NOTE

SB 3177 - HB 3712

March 7, 2008

SUMMARY OF BILL: Eliminates the authority of criminal courts to approve lump sum payments in certain workers' compensation cases. Requires, in most cases, lump sum payments equal to the value of all future installments be calculated on a six percent basis. In cases involving coal worker's pneumoconiosis such payments would be based on a four percent basis.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

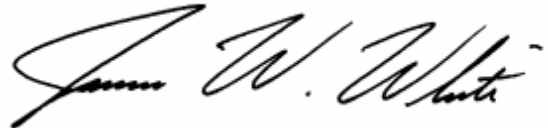
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Assumption:

- State workers' compensation cases are heard by the Claims Commission, not criminal courts.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



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